



**WHO:** Producers and exporters of U.S. food and beverage products

**WHAT:** The American Café at PRODEXPO – 12th International Exhibition in Moscow

for the restaurant, foodservice, supermarket, and food processing sectors

**WHEN:** February 14-18, 2005

**WHERE:** ExpoCenter (Krasnaya Presnya Exhibition Center), Moscow, Russia

**WHY:** The largest trade exhibition of its kind in Russia, Prodexpo represents an excellent

opportunity to present products to key food importers, distributors, retailers and

processors in one of the fastest growing economies in the world

### THE RUSSIAN MARKET:

• Population of 144 million, largely urban, with several major metropolitan centers

• Continued strong economic growth - projected at nearly seven percent in 2004

- U.S. exports to Russia of consumer-oriented and intermediate products totaled more than \$550 million in 2003, with growing demand for a wide range of new items.
- Agricultural imports from all sources tops \$10 billion, and U.S. exporters can be competitive against European suppliers.
- Increasing consumer confidence, with disposable income growing 15 percent per year
- Rapid expansion of western-style supermarkets, helping total retail sales to nearly double over the past three years

#### **BEST PRODUCTS:**

Fresh fruit; dried fruit and nuts; exotic juices; wines; wild rice; canned and packaged foods; microwave products (including popcorn); confectionery; poultry meat; beef; pork; fish and seafood products and intermediate products for further processing such as soy food products, dried potato products, oils, flavorings, and beverage bases and preparations.

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APPLICATION DEADLINE: Nov. 30, 2004 PARTICIPATION FEE: \$500 for the Café \*

<sup>\*</sup> A limited number of individual booths will also be available (at a higher price) – please contact us for further information

# AMERICAN CAFÉ

# Prodexpo Moscow, Russsia-February 14-18, 2005 APPLICATION

COMPANY NAME  CONTACT NAME		
ADDRESS		
PHONE NUMBER FAX NUMBER FAX NUMBER		
	ne \$500.00 NON REFUNDABLE. Transporting your products from the lin this fee. If you ship over 100 pounds we will charge overages to	
	Product Information	
Product(s):		
Product(s) description:		
Is the product already in Russia?		
If yes, provide the name and address of the broker/distributor If no, are you actively searching for an agent?		
In what type of packaging is the produc (e.g., HRI, retail, vending, etc.)	t available?	
Has the product been packaged for Rus If not, are you willing? If possible, please send us a price list.	ssia	
Is the company able to supply	Large supermarket chains Small independent grocery chains Large foodservice chains Small independent operations	

# Payment Status

### PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO USDA/FAS.

Credit Card	? MasterCard	? Visa
	? American Express	? Discovery
Card Number		
Exp. Date and Signature		

### Consolidation Site

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